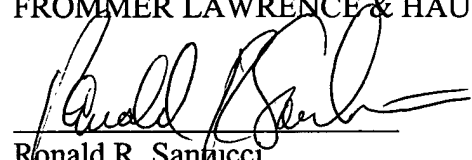


**REMARKS**

This Second Preliminary Amendment is made to cancel claim 7, thereby leaving only claims 1-4 pending in this application. Applicants reserve the right to pursue canceled subject matter in a continuing application. The Examiner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayment associated with the above-identified application to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

Respectfully submitted,  
FROMMER LAWRENCE & HAUG LLP

By:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Ronald R. Santucci  
Reg. No. 28,988  
(212) 588-0800